N.R. Is. Deposits in Indan Banks

1986. SHRI SYED AHMED HASHMI: Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state:

(a) what is the total amount of money deposited Non-Resident Indians in the branches of nationalised banks/non- nationalised banks of the country during the year 1984 and so far in 1985;

(b) whether the deposits have shown any decline; and

(c) if so, what are the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE (SHRI JANARDHAN POOJARY): (a) Total amount of money deposited by Non-Resident Indians in the branches of nationalised/ non-nationalised banks:

Upto 31st December, 1984 was Rs. 3502.87 croress

UPto September, 1985 is Rs. 4547.23 crores

(b) No , Sir.

(c) Does not arise.

Interest rate for FNR Accounts

1687. SHRI SYED AHMED HASMI: Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to refer to the answer to Starred Question 29 given in the Rajya Sabha on the 19th November, 1985 and state:

(a) what are the revised rates of interest for Foreign Currency Non-Resident Accounts; and

(b) the date since when these have been effective?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE (SHRI JANARDHAN POOJARY): (a) and (b) A statement is given below:—

Rate of Interest on FCNR Accounts

	Prior to 22-8-1985	Effective from 22-8-1985
(1) 1 year and above but less than 2 years . .	10·5	9·5
(2) 2 year and above but less than 3 years . .	11·0	10·5
(3) 3 year and above but less than 5 years . .	12·0	11·0
(4) 5 years and above	13.0	12.0

Ceiling on Baggage Allowance

1688. SHRI K. VASUDEVA PANICKER: Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government propose to put a monetary ceiling beyond which a passenger should not be allowed to import duty-free foreign goods as baggage during a year, irrespective of the number of trips he makes; and

(b) if so, what are the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE (SHRI JANARDHAN POOJARI): (a) No. Sir .

(b) In view of (a) above, does not arise.

Per capita annual eranings of different categories of workers

1989. SHRI CHIMANBHAI MEHTA: Will the Minister of LABOUR be pleased to state what are the latest details of per capita annual earnings of workers of Scheduled banks, LIC, cotton textiles, jute textiles; wood and products, paper and paper products, printing, publishing chemicals and products, non-metallic mineral products, non-metallic mineral products basic metal and aloy meta products transport and electricity?